SCAVENGER HUNT

Fort Scott National Historic Site

POST HOSPITAL

- 1. Name three common health problems at Fort Scott.
- 2. According to Dr. Joseph Walker, what are the causes of fevers suffered by the ill at Fort Scott?
- 3. List three things next to the beds in the patient ward.

MUSEUM (UPSTAIRS)

- 1. What was the "ISSUE" of Bleeding Kansas?
- 2. Who raided Fort Scott in 1858?
- 3. Give the exact date of the Marais des Cygnes Massacre.
- 4. What battle did the Confederates win in August, 1861 that made Fort Scott a forward base of the Union Army?
- 5. Who was the black soldier who swore allegiance to the army of the United States in the document on the wall?
- 6. Who was the only Kansan to reach the rank of Major General in the Civil War?
- 7. List three things from the medical kit in the glass case.
- 8. What do Lawrence, Baxter Springs, and Maramaton all have in common in Civil War history?
- 9. What was the Adze use for?
- 10. What geologic age rock layers were used in building Fort Scott?

MUSEUM (DOWNSTAIRS)

1.	What were used as temporary quarters for the military in 1842?	
2.	When did the last troops of the Civil War leave Fort Scott?	
3.	What Indians tribe originally occupied the area near Fort Scott?	
4.	What trail did the dragoons help protect in 1843 because of Texas renegades?	
STABLES		
1.	List three horse tools.	
2.	What four colors of horses were used by U.S. Dragoons?	
BARRACKS		
1.	What two types of troops were used at Fort Scott?	
2.	What rooms made up a barracks?	
3.	List three fatigue duties.	
4.	Name three things that soldiers did in their free time.	
5.	How many times a week were the soldiers required to take a bath?	
6.	How did Colonel George Croghan describe the food situation at Fort Scott?	

7. What did Augustus Meyers have for breakfast, while a Dragoon?

8.	Who did the company laundry? What were the terms of employment?	
POST HEADQUARTERS		
1.	Who had offices here?	
2.	Who was court-martialed on September 28, 1843? What was his penalty?	
3.	Who was in charge of post discipline?	
4.	What two types of artillery pieces are stored in this building?	
OFFICERS QUARTERS		
1.	What caused Captain Terrett's death?	
2.	Who slept in the bed in the kitchen?	
3.	If Kansas was a free state, why where officers allowed to keep slaves at Fort Scott?	
4.	How were the officer's quarters heated?	
WILSON-GOODLANDER HOME		

- 1. What year was this officers quarters finished?
- 2. How was this building used during the Civil War?

QUARTERMASTER BUILDING

- 1. What kind of meat did the soldiers have to eat?
- 2. Who was responsible for designing and building the buildings at Fort Scott?
- 3. What was food packed in when shipped to the fort?
- 4. Where did the army supplies come from and how did they get here?

BAKERY

- 1. How many ounces of bread a day did a man recieve as a ration?
- 2. If the men wanted to eat fresh bread, what had to be done to the bread first?

GUARDHOUSE

- 1. How long did guard duty last?
- 2. What was the wooden platform used for?
- 3. What kinds of offenses were punished in the 1840s Army?
- 4. Name two kinds of punishments of the 1840s military.